

What is claimed is:

1. An image data processing method for a portable terminal apparatus comprising:

an imaging means for obtaining first image data by
5 photography;

a communication means for transmitting and receiving data;

an image processing means for administering image processes on the first image data to obtain processed image
10 data; and

a display means for performing various types of display; the method being implemented by:

combining other image data transmitted by other portable terminal apparatuses with the first image data to obtain
15 synthesized image data.

2. An image data processing method as defined in claim 1, wherein the synthesized image data is obtained by trimming images representing the other image data and an image representing the first image data to match the size of the
20 display means.

3. A portable terminal apparatus comprising:

an imaging means for obtaining first image data by photography;

a communication means for transmitting and receiving

data;

an image processing means for administering image processes on the first image data to obtain processed image data;

5 a display means for performing various types of display;
and

a synthesizing means for combining other image data transmitted by other portable terminal apparatuses with the first image data to obtain synthesized image data.

10 4. A portable terminal apparatus as defined in claim 3, wherein the synthesizing means performs trimming of the images representing the other image data and an image representing the first image data to match the size of the display means, to obtain the synthesized image data.

15 5. A program that causes a computer to execute an image data processing method for a portable terminal apparatus comprising:

an imaging means for obtaining first image data by photography;

20 a communication means for transmitting and receiving data;

an image processing means for administering image processes on the first image data to obtain processed image data; and

a display means for performing various types of display;
wherein the program contains a step of:

combining other image data transmitted by other portable
terminal apparatuses with the first image data to obtain
5 synthesized image data.

6. A program as defined in claim 5, wherein the step of
obtaining the synthesized image data performs trimming of the
images representing the other image data and an image
representing the first image data to match the size of the
10 display means, to obtain the synthesized image data.